

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE Northern District of Illinois – CM/ECF NextGen 1.7.1.1  
Eastern Division**

Derieon Thomas

Plaintiff,

v.

Case No.: 1:22-cv-02026  
Honorable Steven C. Seeger

Tom Dart, et al.

Defendant.

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**NOTIFICATION OF DOCKET ENTRY**

This docket entry was made by the Clerk on Tuesday, October 10, 2023:

MINUTE entry before the Honorable Steven C. Seeger: The Court reviewed the joint initial status report. (Dckt. No. [45]) The Court previously set a deadline of January 31, 2024 for the close of fact discovery. The Court authorizes the deposition of Plaintiff Thomas, who is incarcerated, under Rule 30(a)(2)(B). Defendants asserted a defense of lack of exhaustion. The Court encourages the parties to get to the bottom of that issue, sooner rather than later. The parties must file a status report by December 8, 2023. Mailed notice(jjr, )

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